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**Subject: Brownfield Redevelopment Authority Provides Funding for New Outdoor Fitness Court**

**Outdoor Fitness Court** – Brownfield Redevelopment Authority members have approved the requested funding for site preparation work for the new outdoor fitness court. Located near the 10<sup>th</sup> street Tart Trail head on the Boardman Lake Loop trail system, the outdoor fitness court will provide a bodyweight circuit training system designed for adults of all ages and abilities. The fitness court is being brought to Grand Traverse County through partnerships between Priority Health, National Fitness Campaign, the City of Traverse City and Grand Traverse County.

“Grand Traverse County holds wellness as a core principle, not only for our employees, but for the community at large. Not everyone has the know how to exercise safely or access to equipment or gym memberships. This outdoor fitness court will allow anyone a no cost opportunity to engage in exercise activity according to their ability” said County Administrator Nate Alger. “This fitness court will go a long way for the overall wellness opportunities we have for our community.”

Plans to break ground are scheduled for March with a ribbon cutting ceremony and the grand opening to follow in June. The fitness court is the first phase of an overall redevelopment project with the following two phases being the placement and development of a park, and a new housing development to come.

Attachments: Proposed new fitness court rendering and location.

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## Grand Traverse Priority Health Rendering

**DESIGN TIER** Premium Tier Custom Color

**RAL** 6024 Forest Green

